

1 THE CHAIRMAN: Does any other delegate desire
2 to speak in favor? The Chair recognizes Delegate Adkins
3 to speak in opposition to the substitute.

4 DELEGATE ADKINS: I should like to ask prelimi-
5 narily if the Chairman of the Committee would yield
6 to a question.

7 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Mudd, do you yield
8 to a question?

9 DELEGATE MUDD: Gladly.

10 DELEGATE ADKINS: Am I correct in interpreting
11 the word "eligible" to mean eligible in the opinion of the
12 commission to serve as a judge to fill the vacancy then
13 pending?

14 DELEGATE MUDD: Say that again.

15 DELEGATE ADKINS: Am I correct in interpreting
16 the word "eligible" to mean eligible in the opinion of the
17 commission to serve as a judge qualified to serve in the
18 vacancy then pending?

19 DELEGATE MUDD: Yes.

20 DELEGATE ADKINS: Would it therefore not be
21 constitutional for the commission in the small counties which
you concern yourself with to recommend two men